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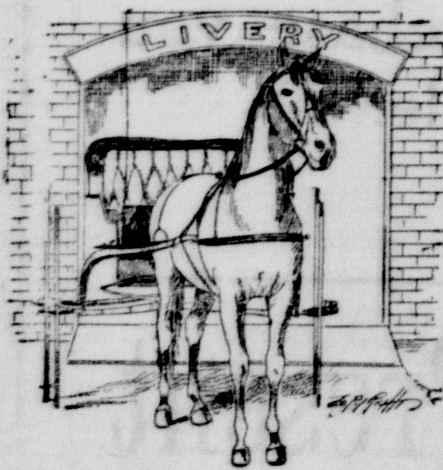
Recently the press despatches—before the Ft. Worth "dry fest"—carried certain resolutions in which it set forth that, in the opinion of its proponents, every man or newspaper that opposes State-wide Prohibition, on any pretext whatever, is an enemy to Christianity.

The Anvil Herald voiced a protest against this charge and the same has appeared in two issues of this paper. It is so plain that the wayfaring man, though a fool, may understand. Yet our local contemporary in defending the proponents of the said resolutions attempts to distort our article into an attack upon Christianity and, despite his protest to the contrary, puts himself in the position where all must understand him as making those sentiments his own.

Now, he says he said nothing about prohibition or its friends or enemies. Who was he talking about then? We were, and we were doing so "designedly" before he butted in and tried "designedly" to divert it to something else.

The editor of our contemporary is welcome to any kind of opinion he chooses to entertain as to the merits of our article. We did not expect it to agree with his way of thinking. But when a man is assured that his understanding of the meaning and intent of a thing is not what its author intended to convey, we leave it to any Christian man or woman to say if it is not a Christian's duty to acknowledge as much—to give the author the benefit of a disclaimer.

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Again, instead of answering in a straight-forward manner, he attempts to distort the statement that "a bonus was started to HAVE a straight-out Prohibition paper" into the statement that he had "accepted a bonus to run one". No, we didn't say that. The public doesn't need to be told how you "accepted" the bonus; and with it an \$1800 mortgage hanging over the plant, after another man had thrown up the job because he wouldn't run a prohibition paper! But, if you will publish the names of the contributors to your bonus, and if there is one who is not a prohibitionist, or explain why the few who have withdrawn their patronage from us on account of it are only prohibitionists, the public can better judge as to what is "borne out by the facts." And as to your method of securing subscribers, we have nothing to do; but it might be wise to give some a better explanation or ask them to talk more discreetly. However, one would search your labored effort at denial in vain for aught but a "confession and avoidance" of the substance of our intimation. If you wanted to be perfectly frank with your subscribers you might have told them that it was not the province of your rag to start a prohibition agitation but that a prohibition agitation had started it.

Furthermore, no one more cheerfully accords you the privilege of being a prohibitionist and "pushing" for what you please than does the Anvil Herald. But in "pushing" you might find it "the part of judgment" not to push your malevolence into another's affairs to the extent of distorting his meaning and intent.

In conclusion, we ask what do the Christian people of Medina county think of this importation from Christine—where he fouled his nest, vide the Christine Ledger of Sept. 23—who comes among you "to keep the Anvil Herald man straight" and admits that he hasn't manhood to correct what wrongs a fellow man but defends those who vilify you as enemies of Christianity because you oppose State-wide prohibition?

HONDO has been thronged this week with school teachers from all over Medina County. They are an earnest, industrious body of workers and Hondo is glad to have had them in her midst even for so short a time and hopes that their stay has been both pleasant and profitable to them.

PAY your road tax and do it now. You only have one week longer in which to pay them. Remember a three dollar tax paid now to the County Treasurer will relieve you of the annoyance of having to put in five days work on the roads next year.

THE Anvil Herald wishes all of its friends and patrons a very merry Christmas.

You only have today to buy 'em—those Christmas presents.

If the Anvil Herald can prescribe anything that will lend a more delicious and lasting flavor to one's palate, than a jigger of that matchless marvelous Monogram No. 6, it will please forward the recipe to The Republic's editor and draw on him for the regulation fee.—Texas Republic. Not being an expert in the line of driving away bad tastes, we hesitate about prescribing for one who has had so much experience. However, we will risk the suggestion that if "Pearl" or "Alamo" are too weak and "Sunny Brook" or "Jersey Cream" haven't the desired flavor, the Major might increase the quantity of Monogram No. 6.

It seems that no special efforts are to be put forth to make the Trades Day next Saturday a big thing. With our business houses offering special bargains every day, however, vide our advertising pages, prospective buyers of merchandise can come to town that or any other day and find bargains and other inducements for making Hondo their trading headquarters.

Not long to be, Governor Tom, is still chasing a wil-o-wisp in the shape of a senatorial nomination. He was very much in evidence with the gentleman with orders from Ohio, Mr. Grambell and the nose holding squad from Dallas, who met in Fort Worth last week and resolved to start a strife begetting campaign next year.—Mansfield Sun.

In the midst of your Christmas jollity remember that your poll tax must be paid before the first of February.

As we go to press, it is announced that W. J. BRYAN will lecture at the Auditorium next Saturday night, December 31, 1910, under the auspices of the Hondo Mothers' Club.

Modern Woodmen Elect.

The annual election of officers of the Modern Woodmen of America was held at the hall Saturday night.

The following officers were elected: John Fohn, vice consul; Ed Parsons, advisor; Frank Schweers, banker; John Horger, clerk; Emil Boehle, watchman; E. G. Garwood, sentry; Henry Heyen, manager; Henry Merriman, escort, Dr. J. B. Morgan, physician.

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Notice of Stock-Holders' Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the Share-holders of the First National Bank of Hondo will be held at its Banking House in Hondo, Medina County, Texas, on the second Tuesday in January, the same being on the 10th day of January 1911, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

GEORGE W. JONES, President.

Announcement.

Dr. A. Sachs, the San Antonio Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, wishes to inform his friends and patients of Hondo and Medina county, that being unable to leave his San Antonio office, owing to numerous cases that demand his constant and personal attention there, he is obliged to discontinue his regular visits to Hondo for the present. He will be glad to receive those who desire his services in his office, Rooms 501-2-3, Conroy building, next to Joske's store, from 9 to 12 a. m. and 2 to 5 p. m. Consultation free.

Land? land? See Hondo Land Co.

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Teachers' Institute.

The Medina County Teachers' Institute met at the school house in Hondo, Texas, Dec. 19, 1910.

County Superintendent Saathoff called the meeting to order and Prof. Hickman delivered the welcome address to which Prof. F. R. Shanks responded.

The following officers were elected: Vice-President, F. R. Shanks; Secretary, Miss Ora Wood. Committees on Resolutions and Entertainments were also appointed.

After other miscellaneous business was disposed of the program was then taken up.

"Morals and Manners in Primary Grades" by Miss Lottie Smith.

"Elementary Mathematics" by Prof. F. R. Shanks, which closed the morning session.

In the afternoon the program was continued. "White's School Management" by Prof. T. C. Hickman.

"What a Teacher Should Know of the County in Which She Teaches and the Environments of the Pupils. Why?" Misses Ruby Langford and Alma Banowsky.

"How to Secure the Co-operation of Home and School," Prof. J. G. Matthews and Miss Sue Johnson.

"Model Lessons in Reading," first grade, Miss Lula Bell; second grade, Miss Tessie Cullen; third grade, Misses Winzer and Stone. Each subject was discussed in a very entertaining way.

A motion was made and carried to adopt two books to be read during the year for the next Institute. The following committee was appointed to select the books: Profs. Roller, Shanks, Cannon, Hickman and Miss Bertha Green.

Prof. Hickman suggested that the County Superintendent have physicians examine pupils in order to ascertain whether they suffer from defective hearing, sight, etc.

A motion was made and unanimously carried to meet at 1 p. m. instead of 1:30 p. m. and dismiss at 4:00 instead of 4:30 p. m.

TUESDAY, DEC. 20.

The Institute met at 9 a. m. The Chairman called the meeting to order. The Secretary called the roll, about fifty teachers having enrolled.

The Committee on selection of books for Institute work next year reported as follows: "A Brief Course in the History of Education," Monroe; "Psychological Method in Teaching," McKee; "American Literature," Bronson. The report was adopted.

The program for the day was then taken up as follows:

"Rules and Regulations of the School," Prof. F. R. Shanks.

"Psychology," Prof. H. S. Roller.

The Secretary read a letter from J. E. Blair, secretary of the Texas Reading Circle. Thirty-two teachers signified their intention to read the books adopted by the committees for the Reading Circle.

"The Value of the Pupil's Time in School," Prof. F. C. Cannon.

"An Effective and Short Way of Teaching Dodge's Geography," Mrs. L. E. Hill, Misses Bessie Gillam and Dawn Cook. This closed the session for the forenoon.

In the afternoon the program was continued.

"White's School Management," Prof. T. C. Hickman.

"Making a Texas History Lesson Interesting," Prof. S. H. Saathoff and Miss Rhea Mackey.

"School Law," Prof. W. G. Moore.

"Participles and Infinitives," Prof. John Shanks.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 21.

The Chairman called the meeting to order.

The following program was taken up:

"How Much Home Study Should be Required," Prof. A. W. Myres and Miss Bertha Green. General discussion.

"Psychology," Prof. H. S. Roller.

"Where I Succeeded Best and Where I Fall Short in My School Work," discussion, led by Prof. C. A. Riddout.

"What Portions of Arithmetic Should be Stressed? What Parts Touched Lightly? Compare the Present Texts With Older," Miss Elizabeth Jenkins, Profs. T. C. Hickman and J. G. Matthews.

Rev. Darby made a few very interesting remarks.

"White's Management," Prof. T. C. Hickman.

"The Rural School as the Opportunity for an Ambitious Teacher," Prof. W. W. Dover.

To roll call the members responded with quotations.

"Contagious Diseases and how to Prevent Them," Dr. W. H. Smith.

A motion was made and carried to thank Dr. Smith for his lecture which was unanimously done.

"Some Characteristics of a Successful Teacher," Misses Lucile Davidson and Lenora Fuller.

A motion was made by Prof. Roller to the effect that the Teacher's Institute of Medina Co. make a concentrated effort to secure libraries for the schools of the county, and that a committee be appointed to draw up a memorial to be presented to the parents asking their co-operation. The motion was carried and the following committee was appointed: Profs. H. S. Roller, T. C. Hickman, F. R. Shanks,

F. C. Cannon and Miss Bessie Gillam. Mesdames G. W. Monkhouse and J. S. Monkhouse and Mr. D. W. Bennett were welcome visitors.

Local Institutes were discussed. A motion was made and carried to have two or three local institutes after Christmas. The following committee was appointed to arrange details: F. R. Shanks, H. S. Roller, T. C. Hickman, F. C. Cannon, J. G. Matthews.

THURSDAY, DEC. 22, 1910.

Institute was called to order by Vice President Shanks.

Roll was called.

Committee on Local Institutes reported that two meetings were to be held, one in January at D'Hanis, the other in March at Devine. The report was accepted.

A motion was made and seconded that Dr. Smith's paper be published in the local papers. The same was carried.

A motion was made and carried to excuse Prof. Matthews from committee work on account of his receiving a message which called him home. Mr. Moore was appointed in his place.

The program was then taken up.

"How to Increase the daily attendance," Misses Stella Stone and Pearl Killough. General Discussion.

Rev. J. W. Long made an interesting talk.

"Psychology," Prof. W. W. Dover.

"School Law," Prof. W. G. Moore.

"Literature study in 5th to 8th Grades inclusive. What to use. Methods and Aims," Miss Nova Johnson, Prof. F. C. Cannon, Miss Ora Wood.

Roll call was responded to by quotations.

"Civil Government. Its Aims and Importance," Prof. W. L. Spradling.

FRIDAY, DEC. 23.

The Institute was called to order by the Chairman.

Roll call was answered by a quotation, after which the program was taken up.

Quite an interesting paper was read by Mrs. H. G. Henderson on "Sphere and Possibilities of Mothers' Clubs," which the Institute enjoyed very much. After which discussions were lead by Misses Gillam and Cook.

Prof. A. W. Evans of the Uvalde City schools addressed the Institute on "The Conference of Education." Laying stress on the need of higher and better education in Texas.

"Psychology," Prof. H. S. Roller.

The committee on the Memorial to the parents reported. The report was adopted and a copy of the Memorial ordered sent to each of the county papers.

"Duties and Responsibilities of the School Trustees was lead by Prof. W. G. Moore, followed by Prof. Hickman and others.

Several interesting papers were read on "How to Keep the Little Folks Busy," by Misses Brown, Kroll and Breeding. Quite interesting discussions along this line were carried on by other teachers.

"Uniform County Examinations. When? How Often? Which was led by Prof. F. R. Shanks and followed by Profs. H. S. Roller, F. C. Cannon and others. It was decided that uniform county examinations be held the first week in March. The examinations to be held in the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grades. Committees were appointed to make questions for each grade for the County Superintendent to select from.

A MEMORIAL TO THE PATRONS AND TRUSTEES OF MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS

DEAR PATRONS AND TRUSTEES:—

Realizing the great necessity of the children of our schools reading and learning to love good books, we earnestly solicit your co-operation with the teachers of our county in their efforts to secure libraries for our schools.

H. SHEFFEY ROLLER,
T. C. HICKMAN,
F. R. SHANKS, JR.,
BESSIE GILLAM,
F. C. CANNON.

Committee of the Institute.

Prof. Hickman was elected as representative from the Medina County Institute to the Texas Teachers' Association to held at Abilene.

After hearing the reports of the various committees the Institute adjourned.

A good Ending.

Old people are especially prone to stomach, liver and bowel ailments. Old age can be made the pleasantest time of life if these diseases can be avoided. They can be avoided and cured, by the use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which cures chronic constipation, dyspepsia, liver troubles, heartburn, sour stomach, flatulency, indigestion, etc. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what we claim, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00 a bottle.

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Notice to TAX PAYERS

Notice is hereby given that I will be at the following named places for the purpose of collecting State and County Taxes for 1910, on dates as follows:

D'Hanis, January 10-11, 1911

Biry, January 12

Dunlay, January 13

Riomedina, January 16

Lacoste, January 17

Castroville, January 18-19

Quihi, January 20

Devine, January 23-24-25

Poll Tax must be paid in person or by written Power of Attorney. This is my last call for 1910 taxes, and unless same are paid by Jan. 31, 1911 a penalty of 10 per cent must be added.

Respectfully,

JOE NEY,

Tax Collector, Medina Co.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1910.

The Importance of Good Roads.

A prominent citizen from the west end of the county told us this week that he considered Bandera a better market for farm and ranch products than Hondo and Sabinal, but that it is almost impossible for people from his section of the country to haul a heavy load of wool, cotton, etc., to Bandera owing to the condition of the roads—Bandera Enterprise.

We believe your prominent citizen was talking merely to make a noise, but of course we don't know. If it is so, we are sorry; and we reproduce the foregoing so that our produce buyers may be on their guard, buck up and prove, in a practical way, that it is not so. A reputation like that going abroad can do our town incalculable harm, and should be disproven by practical demonstrations. Hot air don't count—Hondo Anvil Herald.

Right you are, Bro. Davis, "Hot air don't count," and for this reason we are not blowing about what our merchants are going to do, but we are proud of what this "prominent citizen" and a number of other people say the Bandera merchants are doing. However, we are not casting a slur at Hondo and Sabinal for they are good, live towns (you can tell that by the large amount of advertising the business men are doing in their home papers) and deserve the patronage of the sections in which they are located. Bandera should also have the trade from the western part of this county and would get practically all of it were it not for the condition of the roads. It is indeed, a deplorable state of affairs when any County loses the amount of trade to its neighboring Counties that Bandera has been losing for years. And, why do these conditions exist? Bandera is a good market for all kinds of country produce, and there are always bargains to be found here in groceries, dry goods, etc. Then why, we ask, does Sabinal and Hondo get so much business from the western and Southern portions of this County? Boerne the Eastern end, and Kerrville the North? It is not for lack of patriotism on the part of our citizens for we are

sure they would all much prefer to do their trading in Bandera, and thereby help to build up their home County and County site. Then why is Bandera not getting the business of the entire County? The unquestionable answer is that a number of our roads are in such a bad condition that people will not travel them in order to do their trading in their county site. Moral—Build good roads, and watch Bandera grow.—Bandera Enterprise.

We did not mean to insinuate that our neighbor was casting slurs at Hondo. We do not believe him capable of so mean a design, and we congratulate him on his fidelity to his home town.

We merely made the comment we did to put our home merchants on their guard, and we repeat this here to warn them further that they must look well to Hondo's roads if we are to hold our own with our progressive neighboring towns.

Surprise Party.

A surprise party was given at Mr. Adolph Nietenhoefer's. There were present Adolph Nietenhoefer and wife, Charley Nietenhoefer and family, Louis Nietenhoefer and family, Fritz Nietenhoefer and wife, Henry Bohlen and family, Willy, Henry, and Robert Nietenhoefer. Coffee and cakes were served, and the evening was spent in speaking, drinking wine, and smoking cigars, and at twelve o'clock they all went to their homes, wishing the old people a good many happy years.

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Fuler-Johnson.

W. W. Fuller and Miss L. E. Johnson (colored) were married Wednesday night, Dec. 7th, the marriage taking place at the home of the bride. The marriage was conducted by Rev. James Finnell of Seguin. At the close of the marriage, refreshments were served to visiting friends. All hope this young couple a happy hereafter.

Hondo, Dec. 10, 1910. S. R. B.

The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger from pneumonia and other serious diseases. Mr. B. W. L. Hall, of Waverly, Va., says: "I firmly believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be absolutely the best preparation on the market for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me." For sale by all dealers.

A girl is no sooner safely married, than she begins to wonder, how long it will be until she becomes a widow!

Tell them where you saw their ad.

D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Mr. P. M. Koch, now has all his family around him, and his genial smile broadens each day as he reflects how he's going to work the boys and pet the grandchildren.

Mr. Ferdi. Koch and family came out from San Antonio on Sunday night. Ferdi. will take charge of his father's store for the future.

Miss Delma Stubbs spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Wm. Finger.

Our new physician, Dr. Galemore, of Fayette, Missouri, has permanently located, we understand. Dr. Galemore is a good mixer and seems to be making friends.

Mr. Chas. Mueller killed a nine prong buck last week. Charley thinks he was "The Shepherd of the Hills", who has meandered the valleys and vales of this section "Ad libitum" for the last ten years and seemed to enjoy a charmed life. Tradition had it that nothing but a silver bullet would kill him.

We see Mr. Hearne again on our streets. He has been absent for some time on a visit.

Mr. Adolph Wernette, of San Antonio, accompanied by his daughter and son, came up in his auto Sunday to spend the day with his brother, Mr. Henry Wernette.

Miss Dona Alexander returned on Monday evening from Sabinal where she spent several days very pleasantly. We are glad that Miss Dona has returned for the Dr. was beginning to look lank and weary.

Dr. Alexander was called to see Mrs. P. M. Koch last Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Koch has been quite ill, but we are glad to say she is improving.

Our old friend, Mr. Rudolph Poerner, we are happy to say, is able to be up. They say he was an awfully fussy man while he was sick. He fussed because they didn't send for the doctor, then he fussed when the doctor gave him some of the dynamite medicine.

Mr. V. A. Johnson was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Roller on Saturday night. When you turn Mr. Johnson down of "High Five" you'd better leave for Arkansas.

Mrs. Chas. Wallrath, at this writing is very ill. Dr. Alexander is in attendance, but Drs. Bradley and Meyer have been called in consultation. The "News" hopes in his next issue to have a favorable report.

Miss Meta Rothe spent last week visiting Miss Tonia Reilly.

Mr. Frank Finger, of San Antonio, was visiting home folks Sunday, returning Sunday evening.

Mr. M. S. Koch of San Antonio was in our midst the first of the week on business.

Wants to Help Some One.

For thirty years J. F. Boyer, of Fertile, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help some one now. Suffering so long himself he feels for all distress from Backache, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, Lassitude and Kidney disorders. He shows that Electric Bitters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles", he writes, "wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty". It's also positively guaranteed for Liver Trouble, Dyspepsia, Blood Disorders, Female Complaints and Malaria. Try them. 50c at W. H. Windrow's.

G. H. & S. A. Passenger Train Schedule.

WEST BOUND
No. 7. Arrives.....8:46 P. M.
No. 9. Arrives.....10:12 A. M.
EAST BOUND
No. 10. Arrives.....5:33 P. M.
No. 8. Arrives.....8:26 A. M.
P. JUNGMAN, JR., Agent.

You must read this if you want the benefit.

J. W. Greer, Greenwood, La., suffered with a severe case of lumbago. "The pains were so intense I was forced to hypodermic injections for relief. These attacks started with a pain in the small of my back which gradually became fairly paralyzing. My attention was attracted to Foley's Kidney Remedy and I am glad to say after using this wonderful medicine I am no longer bothered in any way by my old enemy lumbago." W. H. Windrow.

It's all right to judge a man by the company he keeps, but it isn't fair to judge a woman by the company she's forced to entertain!

For Eczema, Tetter and Salt Rheum.

The intense itching characteristic of these ailments is almost instantly allayed by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe cases have been cured by it. For sale by all dealers.

Some wives get comfort out of the knowledge, that their husbands are just as good as other men—when they are sleeping!

It takes a born diplomat to pick a quarrel and dodge the consequences!

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A physician who made a specialty of stomach troubles, particularly dyspepsia, after years of study perfected the formula from which Rexall dyspepsia Tablets are made. Our experience with Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets leads us to believe them to be the greatest remedy known for the relief of acute indigestion and chronic dyspepsia. Their ingredients are soothing and healing to the inflamed membranes of the stomach. They are rich in pepsin, one of the greatest digestive aids known to medicine.

The relief they afford is almost immediate. Their use with persistency and regularity for a short time brings about a cessation of the pains caused by stomach disorders. Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets will insure healthy appetite, aid digestion and promote nutrition.

As evidence of our sincere faith in Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, we ask you to try them at our risk. If they do not give you entire satisfaction, we will return you the money you paid us for them, without question or formality. They come in three sizes, prices 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. Remember you can obtain them only at—The Rexall Store. F. H. Falkenberg.

Men may be as deceitful as women in some things, but no man ever pretends to be having a good time, when he isn't!

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PERSONALS

A Merry Christmas
To one and all!
Fire works at F. A. Heyen's.
D. B. Martin visited Sabinal Thursday.
Paint at \$1.25 a gallon. Holloway Bros.
Aug. Kempf Jr. spent Thursday in Hondo.
Jacob Koch was here from D'Hanis Tuesday.
That Dollar Razor guaranteed. Holloway Bros.
There will be a Christmas Tree at the Baptist Church tonight.
Hames and Trace Chains, best kinds, best prices. Holloway Bros.
The best Picture Frames ever seen in Hondo at McLeod's Studio.
Roswell Ward and F. W. Bohmfalk went to San Antonio Thursday.
It does that shaving, that \$1.00 Razor, guaranteed. Holloway Bros.
For an extra good fruit cake see Wilkinson, at the Hamburger stand.
Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Haby of Dunay were shopping in Hondo Tuesday.
Jewel boxes from 25c to \$6.00 at Windrow's—Santa Claus' headquarters.
Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.
Do not let the mice eat you up. Traps at Holloway Bros. at 25 cents a dozen.
D. E. Beal and family are down from Del Rio to spend the holidays with relatives.
Elmer de Montel arrived Thursday night from Austin and will spend the holidays at home.
Clyde Stone arrived Thursday evening from Kinney Co. after an absence of some months on the ranch.
FOR SALE—100 bushels Mebane Cotton Seed. Apply to Frank Moore, Hondo, Texas. Phone 22, 1 long, 2 shorts.
Rev. and Mrs. Long are here from Austin to spend the holidays with Mrs. Long's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. King.
F. W. Falkenberg, a lumber man of Taylor, Texas, is here on a visit to his father, Rev. A. Falkenberg, and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holloway have gone to La Grange to spend the holidays with Mr. Holloway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Holloway.
C. R. Clark, Post Office Inspector of the San Antonio district, was here Thursday and checked up the affairs of the local postoffice.
Lost.—On the streets of Hondo one gold cross with small pearl in center. Finder will please return to me, and get reward. Miss Mary Kempf.
Mesdames W. J. G. Dullin and M. Herwick and their children are here from Asherton on a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rothe.
After Jan. 1st, I will have a select Stock of Picture Moulding and can frame your pictures promptly.
McLeod's Studio.
We are requested to announce that Rev. W. Long will preach at the Methodist church tomorrow at eleven o'clock A. M. The public generally is invited to attend the service.
To our Friends and Patrons:—We have sold our tinshop to Mr. Ferdinand Kilhorn Jr. You can depend on him for reliable and honest work. He will continue to run it at our place of business. Holloway Bros.
Troops K and L of the Third United States Cavalry, numbering 12 men and officers, and under the command of Capt. Arthur A. Thayer, camped on College Square Wednesday night on their return march to Ft. Sam Houston from doing guard duty along the Rio Grande. The boys reported nothing doing in the fighting line out there.
The business firms of Schmitt & Steinhardt, Hondo Mercantile Co., Rubinstein Mercantile Co., A. E. Klein, C. J. Bless, Heyen & Co., Holloway Bros., C. R. Gaines, King & Hudspeth, Hondo Lumber Co. Hondo State Bank and the First National Bank authorize the statement that they will be closed Monday, Dec. 26th and Jan. 2nd, on account of Christmas, and New Year and the public is requested to take due notice of the same.
Hubert Weynand was here Wednesday on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Weynand. Hubert is now employed by the Alamo Iron Works as a machinist and had been sent out to D'Hanis to make some repairs on Nic Deckert's gasoline engine. The Anvil Herald congratulates Mr. Weynand on his advancement and confidently expects to hear more from him in the mechanical world.
Ed Ingram, the champion cat hunter, reports that a few days ago his dogs started a cat at sun-rise in the hills south of his place and trailed it until 11:30 o'clock by the watch when his catship fell dead of heart failure. The cat measured three feet and one inch from tip to tip and Mr. Ingram says he has the skin prove the story. But that is not necessary as it is vouched for by such "truthful Jameses" as Fritz Wolstencroft and Chic Morris.

MARRIED.

Mr. Ernest Hartmann and Miss Louise Bohmfalk were happily married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bohmfalk, Thursday, December 22, 1910, at 2 o'clock P. M., Rev. A. Falkenberg, pastor of the Hondo Lutheran Church, performing the services.
The house was beautifully and tastefully decorated for the occasion. The groom was attended by Mr. Louis Bohmfalk as best man and Miss Hulda Hartmann accompanied the bride as bride's maid. Only the nearest relatives and the New Fountain choir were invited.
Mr. and Mrs. Hartmann will make their future home near Yancey.
This popular young couple have many friends throughout this county who wish them a full measure of life's richest blessings. Mr. Hartmann has been a reporter for the Anvil Herald for many years, and we feel an especial interest in congratulating him and in wishing he and his bride a happy wedded life.
The first test of the new well was made Wednesday afternoon and was progressing alright when the pump valves gave out on account of a defect in the pump. A second test was made Thursday afternoon and when a reporter was there the pump had been running about three hours at the rate of sixty gallons a minute and the flow was undiminished. The drill was stopped at a depth of 1510 feet and the water stands at approximately the same depth below the surface of the ground as in the old well. The temporary pump is at a depth of 225 feet. If arrangements can be made for a longer use of the drill, an effort will be made to secure artesian water by going deeper.
Wm. R. Markt of San Francisco is here visiting relatives. M. Markt is a brother to Mrs. Albert Bendele of Black Creek and stopped over here while returning from a business trip to New Orleans. After spending the holidays in Medina County he will return to San Francisco where he is engaged in business. Mr. Markt reports his brother Rudolph doing well in Cima California.
Bois D'Arc Lodge Woodman of The World holds its annual election of officers at its next regular meeting Monday night. The last Monday night in each month is the regular meeting night of this order.
A. L. Sharp, formerly a business man of this place but more recently of San Antonio, and H. M. Marshall were here Thursday on business for the Southwestern Casualty Co., of San Antonio.
For Sale—Two-story house and three lots in Hondo, near court house, known as the J. A. Burnside property, at a bargain price. Mrs. J. A. Burnside, 1102-Victoria St., San Antonio, Texas.
F. Kilhorn Jr., Tinner. Shop at Holloway Bros. Hardware Store. All kinds of tinwork and repairing. Guttering and tanks a specialty. Work guaranteed satisfactory.
After Jan. 1st, I will have a select stock of Picture Moulding and can frame your pictures promptly.
McLeod's Studio.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore arrived Sunday from McCulloch Co. and will spend the holidays with Mr. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moore.
Capt. F. Metzger went to San Antonio yesterday and attended a grand Masonic Banquet there last night.
F. Jos. Zuercher, the deaf and dumb barber of D'Hanis, was here Monday and Tuesday visiting relatives.
Rev. H. D. Heath preached at the local Baptist church last Sunday. Rev. Heath is from San Marcos.
Barkley Canova of Manor visited his daughter, Mrs. J. N. Henderson, here over Tuesday night.
Profs. A. W. Evans and T. C. Hickman were social callers at this office yesterday.
Do not let the mice eat you up. Traps at Holloway Bros. at 25 cents a dozen.
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Hames and Trace Chains, best kinds, best prices. Holloway Bros.
Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bendele were shopping in Hondo Monday.
C. B. Brown came out from San Antonio Thursday evening.
Commissioner J. B. Ney was here yesterday from D'Hanis.
Buy hand made stove pipe, it lasts longer. Holloway Bros.
Mrs. T. McCall is visiting her son, L. J. McCall at Mathis.
Bailey wants to make your old hats look like new.
Henry Kueck Sr. was up from Yancey Tuesday.
Paint at \$1.25 a gallon. Holloway Bros.
H. B. Taylor is on the first posted list.

Skin and Scalp Troubles Yield to Zemo.

A Clean Liquid Preparation for External Use.
Windrow's Drug Store is so confident that ZEMO will rid the skin or scalp of infant or grown person of pimples blackheads, dandruff, eczema, prickly heat, rashes, hives ivy poison or any other form of skin or scalp eruption, that they will give your money back if you are not entirely satisfied with the results obtained from the use of ZEMO.
The first application will give prompt relief and show an improvement and in every instance where used persistently, will destroy the germ life, leaving the skin in a clean, healthy condition.
Let us show you proof of some remarkable cures made by ZEMO and give you a 32 page booklet how to preserve the skin.
W. H. Windrow's Drug Store.
"The Gay Widow", a musical comedy, will give a performance at the Auditorium tonight. The company comes well recommended and all who enjoy good music, singing, dancing, etc. should not fail to attend. Seats now on sale at Windrow's drug store.
Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury, as mercury will destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
Sold by Druggists. Price 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.
A fine rain, amounting to a precipitation of 1.02 inches fell here Thursday morning. This with the inch fall of last week puts a fine season in the ground. The rain was reported lighter south and somewhat heavier north of here.
Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA
Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Kimberly, enroute from Clarendon, Texas, to California on a nine months visit to the Pacific coast country, are here to spend the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. V. H. Blocker, and family.
Francisca Adama was here yesterday making a complaint against two Mexicans who assaulted him and cut him severely on the head Thursday night. The fight took place on J. E. Adams' ranch below Biry.
Rocco De Bona and family of Eagle Pass spent Thursday night in Hondo, their auto having stranded in the mud while attempting to return home from a trip to San Antonio.
Miss Louise Connella's kindergarten class gave a creditable entertainment at the Baptist church last night. We go to press too early to give a write up of the same.
As we go to press Friday, it is announced that a show by local talent from the Christian College of Sabinal is on at the Auditorium.
Oscar Lindholm, the well driller, went to Devine yesterday to spend Christmas holidays with relatives.

Mrs. Northup, Quincy, Ill.

Mothers should be grateful to know of a remedy for their own stomach, bowel and liver troubles as well as for those of their children. Mrs. Alice Northup of Quincy, Ill., after trying many methods is free to admit that the best one is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which she uses herself and gives to her family. She believes no household should be without it. This grand laxative and tonic is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00 a bottle.
A credulous woman is one who believes a dentist, when he promises not to hurt her at all!
Miss Lucile Davidson came home yesterday from Cuero to spend the holidays.
Saved From Awful Death.
How an appalling calamity in his family was prevented is told by A. D. McDonald, of Fayetteville, N. C. R. F. D. No. 8. "My sister had consumption," he writes, "she was very thin and pale, had no appetite and seemed to grow weaker every day, as all remedies failed, till Dr. King's New Discovery was tried, and so completely cured her, that she has not been troubled with a cough since. It's the best medicine I ever saw or heard of". For coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, hemorrhage—all bronchial troubles, it has no equal, 50c and one dollar. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.
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H. Fly, Esq., visited San Antonio
first of the week, returning Tues-

John Deere line of hacks and
give satisfaction. E. R. Lein-

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Wm. Shaw and daughter, Mrs.
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rs. J. W. Holloway left Tuesday
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A. Head was here Monday deliver-
a large consignment of nursery

ck for the Ramsey Nursery of Aus-

Measrs. Joe Zinsmeyer, Frank Mon-

gue, W. E. Mansfield and W. S.

wis, all of Bandera Co. were here on

business, Tuesday.

L. J. Schmidt visited San Antonio

uesday. Mr. Schmidt returned last

week from Laredo where he had been

ten days serving as a Federal court

er.

Mrs. P. H. Lynch and children re-

turned to their home at Lacoste Tues-

day after a pleasant visit to Mrs.

ynch's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Fred

Metzger.

Fine box candy at F. A. Heyen's.

Fresh Fruits of all kinds at Hutzler's.

Dates, Figs, Currants and Citron at

Hutzler's.

Use the Canton Planter for good re-

sults, Holloway Bros.

Toys! toys! Everything in toys at

Windrow's drug store.

Knives and forks for that Christmas

dinner, Holloway Bros.

Bibles! bibles, from 50c up at Win-

drow's—a Christmas gift for every-

body

Fine Hand-Painted Chinaware for

Christmas gifts at Windrow's drug

store.

Waterman's Fountain Pens for

Christmas gifts at Windrow's drug

store.

Dr. J. T. FitzSimon and Frank Van

were over from Castroville Monday on

legal business.

The Watkin's toilet preparations are

the best on the market. Buy them

from O. S. Wallace, agent.

For Sale:—One fresh, milk cow with

young calf; gives four gallons per day.

Apply at Hotel Armstrong. 2t.

When contemplating the purchase of

a hack or buggy get E. R. Leinweber's

prices on the John Deere line. tf

We have cypress troughs; all lengths.

Come and see us for prices before buy-

ing elsewhere. Hondo Lumber Co.

We are still selling out all of our

hardware, tinware, and dry goods at

cost and will continue until the stock is

sold out. Call and see us. Mask &

Son.

Dr. W. E. Patterson of Portales,

New Mexico, was a visitor to Hondo

over Monday night, leaving again for

home on the early morning train Tues-

day.

Chas. Winkler invites all of his Me-

dina County friends to call on him at

625 Jones Ave., San Antonio. Take

the Tobin Hill car and get off on east

Elmira St.

Mrs. V. S. Tuttle left Tuesday for

Water Valley, Texas, to visit a daugh-

ter, after spending some days here the

guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. W.

Cruseturner.

Mrs. Charles Gring arrived Monday

from El Paso and will spend the hol-

idays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs.

S. H. Bohmfalk, and other relatives

near Yancey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Newton return-

ed Tuesday from San Antonio where

Mr. Newton had been for medical

treatment. Mr. Newton appeared to

be much improved.

Chili, Pigfeet, Ham, Oysters, Fish,

Hamburger and Porterhouse Steak are

a few of the good things to eat at

Brown's Short Order House. If you

want anything else just call for it.

Roy B. Hodges of Eagle Pass was

here the first of the week, the guest of

his sister, Mrs. H. B. Laughinghouse.

He returned to Eagle Pass Monday

where he has the managment of a coal

mine.

Elsewhere will be found the card an-

ouncing Tax Collector Joe Ney's dates

on his final tour of the county for 1910

taxes. Paste it up where you will be

reminded of his dates and call on him

when in your neighborhood.

For Sale,—383 acres, all in cultiva-

tion, good black loamy soil. A new

\$3200 house, three rent houses, good

water, good fences; 2 miles from Post

Office, school and depot, \$50.00 per

acre, easy terms. If you have the

money and want this farm apply at

once to Hondo Land Co. No time to

waste.

Charles Gilliam came home last Fri-

day from Peacock's military school in

San Antonio and will spend the hol-

idays on the ranch. Charlie had the

misfortune to get shot just over the

left eye with an air gun a few days

ago, the shot narrowly missing his eye

and inflicting a painful but not danger-

ous wound.

The Bazaar given by the ladies of

the Methodist church last week and the

first of this week netted about \$35.00,

despite the bad weather it had to en-

counter. We are requested to extend

the thanks of the ladies to the public

generally for its patronage and espe-

cially to the Hondo Mercantile Co. for

the use of its dishes and to Mr. Rolf

Frerichs for the use of his building.

A deal was consummated here Wed-

nesday whereby the Farmers' Union

Warehouse Co. sold 123 bales of cotton

to Mueller & Co., of San Antonio, for

the basis price of 14.65 cents. The

deal was made through Monkhouse

Bros. and the cotton forms part of a

large foreign shipment being made up

by Mueller & Co. This leaves only a

dozen or so bales in the local warehouse.

Those who braved the inclement

weather of last Friday night to attend

the lecture by Karl Jansen at the Aud-

itorium report a splendid entertain-

ment. This was the fourth and last at

traction of the Lyceum course under

the auspices of the Hondo Mothers' Club.

Owing to the misfortune of each

attraction falling on an unfavorable

night, the course was not the financial

success that had been hoped for; how-

ever, it is hoped by all lovers of high

class entertainment that the success

has been sufficient to encourage the

promoters to arrange for another

course next season.

H. L. Saathoff was up from Yancey

Monday.

Henry Rothe visited San Antonio

Tuesday.

Charles Finger visited Pearsall the

first of the week.

Use the Canton Planter for good re-

sults, Holloway Bros.

D. Deckert was a business caller at

this office Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Berry left Thursday on

a visit to Georgetown.

Hal Jones was a business visitor to

the Alamo City Thursday.

Milton Schmitt is home from San An-

tonio to spend the holidays.

H. B. Laughinghouse was a business

caller at this office Monday.

Charlie Hoover and Jim Merriman

visited San Antonio Saturday.

The John Deere hack will give satis-

faction. See E. R. Leinweber.

Assessor H. B. Taylor returned Fri-

day night from his visit to Dallas.

L. J. Brucks and Master Charles

made a trip to Dunlay Wednesday.

There will be a free dance at Louis

Carle's hall in D'Hanis Monday night.

M. S. Koch was out from San An-

tonio the first of the week on business.

At the Gun Store is the place for

Bargains in Guns and Cutlery. Gaines.

C. L. Marty, the Castroville commis-

sion man, was here Wednesday on bus-

iness.

For Sale, one surry, at a bargain.

See us at once. McClaugherty &

Horger.

Hines Rothe went to San Antonio

Tuesday to see the Grand Opera, "Ma-

dam Butterfly."

For the best blood cleanser and puri-

fier try Watkin's Sarsaparilla. Sold

by O. S. Wallace, agent.

Call at E. R. Leinweber's hack and

buggy repository and get his prices

before purchasing a vehicle. tf

O. S. Wallace sells the famous Wat-

kin's Extracts and Spices, the best and

cheapest on the market. See him.

You had better hurry and get that

overcoat or suit, as cold weather is

coming. Bailey.

Just received a car of choice Johnson

grass hay. Place your order before it's

all gone. Phone 103. Hondo Lumber

Co.

COME

To The

Concert

To be given by the

Castroville

Brass

Band

Sunday night, De-

cember 25, 1910,

AT WERNETTE'S

OPERA HOUSE

YOU CAN'T BEAT OUR PROPOSITION

We will sell you stock in our business, which is incorporated under the laws of Texas.

You can pay \$10.00 down on each share that you buy and \$10.00 per month for nine months.

Here is a chance for you to save money and at the same time invest where it will be safe and bring you in a nice interest. See us about this.

HEYEN & COMPANY The Co-Operative Store

The best line of fancy Candy in town

at Geo. Hay's.

Try the John Deere Buggy. Sold by

E. R. Leinweber. tf.

Gus Koenig was here Wednesday

from Lacoste on business.

The Success Sulky makes your plow-

ing a success, Holloway Bros.

H. W. Butts and Joe Langfeld were

in town Wednesday on Warehouse bus-

iness.

Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, etc. for

Christmas gifts at Windrow's drug

store.

T. McClaugherty and J. A. Horger

made an auto trip to San Antonio Wed-

nesday.

County Attorney R. J. Noonan visited

San Antonio Thursday, returning

Friday.

Dolls! dolls! Everything in dolls at

Windrow's drug store—Santa Claus'

headquarters.

We have everything an up-to-date

Soda Fountain should have. Give us a

call. Geo. Hay.

Mrs. U. S. Kerley and daughters,

Misses Myrtle and Nellie, visited San

Antonio Thursday.</

PERSONALS

A Merry Christmas
To one and all!
Fire works at F. A. Heyen's.
D. B. Martin visited Sabinal Thursday.
Paint at \$1.25 a gallon. Holloway Bros.
Aug. Kempf Jr. spent Thursday in Hondo.
Jacob Koch was here from D'Hanis Tuesday.
That Dollar Razor guaranteed. Holloway Bros.
There will be a Christmas Tree at the Baptist Church tonight.
Hames and Trace Chains, best kinds, best prices. Holloway Bros.
The best Picture Frames ever seen in Hondo at McLeod's Studio.
Roswell Ward and F. W. Bohmfalk went to San Antonio Thursday.
It does that shaving, that \$1.00 Razor, guaranteed. Holloway Bros.
For an extra good fruit cake see Wilkinson, at the Hamburger stand.
Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Haby of Dunay were shopping in Hondo Tuesday.
Jewel boxes from 25c to \$6.00 at Windrow's—Santa Claus' headquarters.
Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.
Do not let the mice eat you up. Traps at Holloway Bros. at 25 cents a dozen.
D. E. Beal and family are down from Del Rio to spend the holidays with relatives.
Elmer de Montel arrived Thursday night from Austin and will spend the holidays at home.
Clyde Stone arrived Thursday evening from Kinney Co. after an absence of some months on the ranch.
FOR SALE—100 bushels Mebane Cotton Seed. Apply to Frank Moore, Hondo, Texas. Phone 22, 1 long, 2 shorts.
Rev. and Mrs. Long are here from Austin to spend the holidays with Mrs. Long's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. King.
F. W. Falkenberg, a lumber man of Taylor, Texas, is here on a visit to his father, Rev. A. Falkenberg, and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holloway have gone to La Grange to spend the holidays with Mr. Holloway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Holloway.
C. R. Clark, Post Office Inspector of the San Antonio district, was here Thursday and checked up the affairs of the local postoffice.
Lost.—On the streets of Hondo one gold cross with small pearl in center. Finder will please return to me, and get reward. Miss Mary Kempf.
Mesdames W. J. G. Dullig and M. Herwick and their children are here from Asherton on a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rothe.
After Jan. 1st, I will have a select Stock of Picture Moulding and can frame your pictures promptly.
McLeod's Studio.
We are requested to announce that Rev. W. Long will preach at the Methodist church tomorrow at eleven o'clock A. M. The public generally is invited to attend the service.
To our Friends and Patrons:—We have sold our tinshop to Mr. Ferdinand Kilhorn Jr. You can depend on him for reliable and honest work. He will continue to run it at our place of business. Holloway Bros.
Troops K and L of the Third United States Cavalry, numbering 12 men and officers, and under the command of Capt. Arthur A. Thayer, camped on College Square Wednesday night on their return march to Ft. Sam Houston from doing guard duty along the Rio Grande. The boys reported nothing doing in the fighting line out there.
The business firms of Schmitt & Steinhart, Hondo Mercantile Co., Rubinstein Mercantile Co., A. E. Klein, C. J. Bless, Heyen & Co., Holloway Bros., C. R. Gaines, King & Hudspeth, Hondo Lumber Co. Hondo State Bank and the First National Bank authorize the statement that they will be closed Monday, Dec. 26th and Jan. 2nd, on account of Christmas, and New Year and the public is requested to take due notice of the same.
Hubert Weynand was here Wednesday on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Weynand. Hubert is now employed by the Alamo Iron Works as a machinist and had been sent out to D'Hanis to make some repairs on Nic Deckert's gasoline engine. The Anvil Herald congratulates Mr. Weynand on his advancement and confidently expects to hear more from him in the mechanical world.
Ed Ingram, the champion cat hunter, reports that a few days ago his dogs started a cat at sun-rise in the hills south of his place and trailed it until 11:30 o'clock by the watch when his catship fell dead of heart failure. The cat measured three feet and one inch from tip to tip and Mr. Ingram says he has the skin prove the story. But that is not necessary as it is vouchered for by such "truthful Jameses" as Fritz Wollensberger and Chic Morris.

MARRIED.

Mr. Ernest Hartmann and Miss Louise Bohmfalk were happily married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bohmfalk, Thursday, December 22, 1910, at 2 o'clock P. M., Rev. A. Falkenberg, pastor of the Hondo Lutheran Church, performing the services.
The house was beautifully and tastefully decorated for the occasion. The groom was attended by Mr. Louis Bohmfalk as best man and Miss Hulda Hartmann accompanied the bride as bride's maid. Only the nearest relatives and the New Fountain choir were invited.
Mr. and Mrs. Hartmann will make their future home near Yancey.
This popular young couple have many friends throughout this county who wish them a full measure of life's richest blessings. Mr. Hartmann has been a reporter for the Anvil Herald for many years, and we feel an especial interest in congratulating him and in wishing he and his bride a happy wedded life.
The first test of the new well was made Wednesday afternoon and was progressing alright when the pump valves gave out on account of a defect in the pump. A second test was made Thursday afternoon and when a reporter was there the pump had been running about three hours at the rate of sixty gallons a minute and the flow was undiminished. The drill was stopped at a depth of 1510 feet and the water stands at approximately the same depth below the surface of the ground as in the old well. The temporary pump is at a depth of 225 feet. If arrangements can be made for a longer use of the drill, an effort will be made to secure artesian water by going deeper.
Wm. R. Markt of San Francisco is here visiting relatives. M. Markt is a brother to Mrs. Albert Bendele of Black Creek and stopped over here while returning from a business trip to New Orleans. After spending the holidays in Medina County he will return to San Francisco where he is engaged in business. Mr. Markt reports his brother Rudolph doing well in Cima California.
Bois D'Arc Lodge Woodman of The World holds its annual election of officers at its next regular meeting Monday night. The last Monday night in each month is the regular meeting night of this order.
A. L. Sharp, formerly a business man of this place but more recently of San Antonio, and H. M. Marshall were here Thursday on business for the Southwestern Casualty Co., of San Antonio.
For Sale—Two-story house and three lots in Hondo, near court house, known as the J. A. Burnside property, at a bargain price. Mrs. J. A. Burnside, 1102 Victoria St., San Antonio, Texas.
F. Kilhorn Jr., Tinner Shop at Holloway Bros. Hardware Store. All kinds of tinwork and repairing. Gutting and tanks a specialty. Work guaranteed satisfactory.
After Jan. 1st, I will have a select stock of Picture Moulding and can frame your pictures promptly.
McLeod's Studio.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore arrived Sunday from McCulloch Co. and will spend the holidays with Mr. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moore.
Capt. F. Metzger went to San Antonio yesterday and attended a grand Masonic Banquet there last night.
F. Jos. Zuercher, the deaf and dumb barber of D'Hanis, was here Monday and Tuesday visiting relatives.
Rev. H. D. Heath preached at the local Baptist church last Sunday. Rev. Heath is from San Marcos.
Barkley Canova of Manor visited his daughter, Mrs. J. N. Henderson, here over Tuesday night.
Profs. A. W. Evans and T. C. Hickman were social callers at this office yesterday.
Do not let the mice eat you up. Traps at Holloway Bros. at 25 cents a dozen.
It does that shaving, that \$1.00 Razor, guaranteed. Holloway Bros.
Hames and Trace Chains, best kinds, best prices. Holloway Bros.
Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bendele were shopping in Hondo Monday.
C. B. Brown came out from San Antonio Thursday evening.
Commissioner J. B. Ney was here yesterday from D'Hanis.
Buy hand made stove pipe, it lasts longer. Holloway Bros.
Mrs. T. McCall is visiting her son, L. J. McCall at Mathis.
Bailey wants to make your old hats look like new.
Henry Kueck Sr. was up from Yancey Tuesday.
Paint at \$1.25 a gallon. Holloway Bros.
H. D. Taylor is on the first post list.

Skin and Scalp Troubles Yield to Zemo.
A Clean Liquid Preparation for External Use.
Windrow's Drug Store is so confident that ZEMO will rid the skin or scalp of infant or grown person of pimples blackheads, dandruff, eczema, prickly heat, rashes, hives ivy poison or any other form of skin or scalp eruption, that they will give your money back if you are not entirely satisfied with the results obtained from the use of ZEMO.
The first application will give prompt relief and show an improvement and in every instance where used persistently, will destroy the germ life, leaving the skin in a clean, healthy condition.
Let us show you proof of some remarkable cures made by ZEMO and give you a 32 page booklet how to preserve the skin.
W. H. Windrow's Drug Store.
"The Gay Widow", a musical comedy, will give a performance at the Auditorium tonight. The company comes well recommended and all who enjoy good music, singing, dancing, etc. should not fail to attend. Seats now on sale at Windrow's drug store.
Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,
as mercury will destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
Sold by Druggists. Price 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.
A fine rain, amounting to a precipitation of 1.02 inches fell here Thursday morning. This with the inch fall of last week puts a fine season in the ground. The rain was reported lighter south and somewhat heavier north of here.
Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA
Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Kimberly, enroute from Clarendon, Texas, to California on a nine months visit to the Pacific coast country, are here to spend the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. V. H. Blocker, and family.
Francisca Adama was here yesterday making a complaint against two Mexicans who assaulted him and cut him severely on the head Thursday night. The fight took place on J. E. Adams' ranch below Biry.
Rocco De Bona and family of Eagle Pass spent Thursday night in Hondo, their auto having stranded in the mud while attempting to return home from a trip to San Antonio.
Miss Louise Connella's kindergarten class gave a creditable entertainment at the Baptist church last night. We go to press too early to give a write up of the same.
As we go to press Friday, it is announced that a show by local talent from the Christian College of Sabinal is on at the Auditorium.
Oscar Lindholm, the well driller, went to Devine yesterday to spend Christmas holidays with relatives.

Mrs. Northup, Quincy, Ill.
Mothers should be grateful to know of a remedy for their own stomach, bowel and liver troubles as well as for those of their children. Mrs. Alice Northup of Quincy, Ill., after trying many methods is free to admit that the best one is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which she uses herself and gives to her family. She believes no household should be without it. This grand laxative and tonic is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00 a bottle.
A credulous woman is one who believes a dentist, when he promises not to hurt her at all!
Miss Lucile Davidson came home yesterday from Cuero to spend the holidays.
CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher*
The Youth's Companion
So Much for so Little!
52 Weeks' Issues only \$1.75.
The Companion entertains half a million families every week.
"Only the Best" Reading
chosen from the world's abundance of every sort.
Send for Free Sample Copies of the Larger Companion and the Announcement for 1911.
FREE TO JAN. 1911
Every New Subscriber who cuts out and sends this slip or mentions this paper with \$1.75 for the 52 issues of the Companion for 1911 will receive all the remaining issues for 1910, including the BEAUTIFUL HOLIDAY NUMBER FOR THANKSGIVING AND CHRISTMAS.
THE COMPANION'S ART CALENDAR FOR 1911, lithographed in thirteen colors and gold.
Then The Youth's Companion for the 52 weeks of 1911—a treasury of reading that would cost \$40 in book form.
THE YOUTH'S COMPANION
BOSTON, MASS.
New Subscriptions Received at this Office.

Saved From Awful Death.
How an appalling calamity in his family was prevented is told by A. D. McDonald, of Fayetteville, N. C. R. F. D. No. 8. "My sister had consumption," he writes, "she was very thin and pale, had no appetite and seemed to grow weaker every day, as all remedies failed, till Dr. King's New Discovery was tried, and so completely cured her, that she has not been troubled with a cough since. It's the best medicine I ever saw or heard of". For coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, hemorrhage—all bronchial troubles, it has no equal, 50c and one dollar. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.
We are requested to announce that the Philathea class will entertain at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. King next Tuesday evening, Dec. 27th.


JERSEY CREAM
1873
WHISKEY
PURE & RICH
LEPPSTEIN & SON—FT. WORTH
KENTUCKY DISTILLERS

FARMERS
Find Simmons' Cough Syrup indispensable because it cures a cough promptly, healing the bronchial passages and prevents Pneumonia and Consumption. There are many Cough Syrups but none like Simmons'. 25c and 50c bottles. All druggists. Mfg. by A. B. Richards Med. Co. Sherman, Tex.

A Handsome Woman
Every woman may not be beautiful, but every woman should keep with care the good nature has given her. No woman need have sallow skin, dull or blotchy complexion, who proper attention to her health. Where constipation, liver derangements, blood impurities and irregularities exist, good complexion, bright eyes and sprightly movements cannot exist. Internal derangements reveal themselves on or later on the surface. Headache, rings around the eyes, sallow skin, a stant tired feeling—mean that the digestive organs are needing help and correction. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets give this necessary help. They work in nature's own way. They merely flush the bowels but tone up the stomach to fulfill their proper functions. Soft and gentle do they act that one hardly feels they have taken medicine. Chamberlain's Tablets can be relied upon to relieve biliousness, indigestion, constipation and diarrhea. Sold everywhere. Price 25 cents.

When you feel dull, out of sorts, discouraged, half sick and everything seems to be going wrong, you can blame it on your liver. It is torpid. You need
HERBINE
A Medicine of Power in All Liver Disorders.
When the liver is torpid, it throws impurities into the system, which hamper every organ in the body. The result is that functional processes are not properly carried on. Impurities get into the blood, the stomach is bilious, the kidneys weak and the bowels irregular—generally constipated. Herbine clears out all these impurities, opens up the obstructed channels, strengthens the torpid liver, cleanses the blood, purifies and regulates the bowels. After the system has been thus overhauled, there is an immediate improvement. Appetite returns, digestion is good, the spirits rise, the mind clears of gloomy forebodings and everything looks bright and cheerful, which means, sound, healthy conditions everywhere in the body.
Price 50c per Bottle.
JAMES F. DILLARD, PROPRIETOR, ST. LOUIS, MO.
To cure Smarting Itchiness, Red Eyes or Weak Sight, use Chamberlain's Eye Salve.
Sole and Recommended by
W. H. WINDROW

SUNNY BROOK
THE
PURE FOOD WHISKEY
Is Medicinally
PURE!
ACCEPT NO SUBSTITUTE
J. OPPENHEIMER & CO.
GENERAL DISTRIBUTORS
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS





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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

at Windrow's.
berries at Hutzler's.
Chocolates and Bon Bons at
the clothing doctor; he gives
Burgin came in Monday from
to Uvalde.
an Air Ship at F. A. Heyen's—
est thing yet.
We have
Holloway Bros.
nuts, Almonds, Brazil Nuts and
at Hutzler's.
called for and delivered. Phone
G. W. Bailey.
ves and forks for that Christmas
Holloway Bros.
economical and have your old
made new. G. W. Bailey.
kin's Laxtone for the babies has
ual. See O. S. Wallace, Agent.
ka! books from 5c up, for Christ-
resents at Windrow's drug store.
kin's Cough Cure will stop that
A. Try it. O. S. Wallace, agent.
H. Fly, Esq., visited San Antonio
rst of the week, returning Tues-
John Deere line of hacks and
es give satisfaction. E. R. Lein-
tf.
R. Blackburn of Biry took the
here Monday for a trip to the
City.
Deckert came out from San An-
Tuesday to look after his farm-
interests.
s. Wm. Shaw and daughter, Mrs.
des Metzger were San Antonio vis-
Tuesday.
veral brands of cigars for sale be-
cost. Regular 5c seller now two.
c. Fritz Frericha, tf.
me and take your choice. Fall
now in, Guns, Ammunition and
ery. C. R. Gaines.
rs. J. W. Holloway left Tuesday
Columbus on a visit to her mother
after the holidays.
st received, a car of oats. Give
horses a treat by feeding oats.
laugherty & Horger.
We have cypress troughs; all lengths.
e and see us for prices before buy-
elsewhere. Hondo Lumber Co.
R. Leinweber sells the celebrated
Deere hacks and buggies. Call
him for prices before buying. tf.
Watkin's Lung Balsam will stop that
gh and heal and soothe your sore
gs. Sold by O. S. Wallace, Agent.
or sale cheap, a disc plow and a
dle-breaker, both good as new.
ply at J. H. Meyer's blacksmith shop.
ust received a car of choice Johnson
as hay. Place your order before it's
gone. Phone 103. Hondo Lumber
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gone. Phone 103. Hondo Lumber

—Box Candies, Hutzler's
Postal cards at F. A. Heyen's.
—Chocolates and Bon Bons at Hutz-
ler's.
A. W. Smith visited San Antonio
Monday.
Bailey does all kinds of cleaning and
pressing.
Miss Cora Bierschwale went to San
Antonio Tuesday.
Looking for fancy China? We have
it, Holloway Bros.
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Leinweber visited
San Antonio Monday.
Kryptok invisible bifocals at James
Pluck's optical office.
Air Guns from 25c to \$2.50 at Win-
drow's—suits the boy.
Most complete stock of Fire works
in town at F. A. Heyen's.
Smoke the best cigars in town and
buy them at Geo. Hay's.
Mrs. R. P. Thomas and son Robert,
visited San Antonio Tuesday.
The Success Sulky makes your plow-
ing a success, Holloway Bros.
Henry Oefinger, the D'Hanis barber,
was here Monday on business.
A. J. Wilkinson, the hamburger man,
was an Alamo City visitor Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Haby were
here Monday from Dunlay shopping.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rohrbach were
over from D'Hanis Monday shopping.
Henry Reitzer and J. G. Brucks were
pleasant callers at this office Monday.
F. W. Bohmfalk was up from Yancey
Monday and paid our office a pleasant
call.
A. J. Swearingen made a business
trip east Tuesday, returning Wednes-
day.
Remember we have the Christmas
goods and the best prices at Windrow's
drug store.
—Meet me at the Soda Fountain.
Cool, sparkling drinks served from the
beautiful fountain at Hutzler's.
"Battling for the Right," The Life
Story of Theodore Roosevelt, a very
interesting book, Cloth Binding \$1.50.
Half Morocco Style \$2.50. Sold by
Clyde D. Earnest.
—Let L. J. Brucks prepare
your abstracts. He represents
the Garner Abstract & Land Co.
There is never any complaint a-
bout a Garner Abstract.

PHONE 61
We'll Do
The Rest

Fine box candy at F. A. Heyen's.
Fresh Fruits of all kinds at Hutzler's.
Dates, Figs, Currants and Citron at
Hutzler's.
Use the Canton Planter for good re-
sults, Holloway Bros.
Toys! toys! Everything in toys at
Windrow's drug store.
Knives and forks for that Christmas
dinner, Holloway Bros.
Bibles! bibles, from 50c up at Win-
drow's—a Christmas gift for every-
body
Fine Hand-Painted Chinaware for
Christmas gifts at Windrow's drug
store.
Waterman's Fountain Pens for
Christmas gifts at Windrow's drug
store.
Dr. J. T. FitzSimon and Frank Van
were over from Castroville Monday on
legal business.
The Watkin's toilet preparations are
the best on the market. Buy them
from O. S. Wallace, agent.
For Sale:—One fresh, milk cow with
young calf; gives four gallons per day.
Apply at Hotel Armstrong. 2t.
When contemplating the purchase of
a hack or buggy get E. R. Leinweber's
prices on the John Deere line. tf
We have cypress troughs; all lengths.
Come and see us for prices before buy-
ing elsewhere. Hondo Lumber Co.
We are still selling out all of our
hardware, tinware, and dry goods at
cost and will continue until the stock is
sold out. Call and see us. Mask &
Son.

Dr. W. E. Patterson of Portales,
New Mexico, was a visitor to Hondo
over Monday night, leaving again for
home on the early morning train Tues-
day.
Chas. Winkler invites all of his Me-
dina County friends to call on him at
625 Jones Ave., San Antonio. Take
the Tobin Hill car and get off on east
Elmira St.
Mrs. V. S. Tuttle left Tuesday for
Water Valley, Texas, to visit a daugh-
ter, after spending some days here the
guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. W.
Cruseturner.
Mrs. Charles Gring arrived Monday
from El Paso and will spend the holi-
days with her parents, Rev. and Mrs.
S. H. Bohmfalk, and other relatives
near Yancey.
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Newton returned
Tuesday from San Antonio where
Mr. Newton had been for medical
treatment. Mr. Newton appeared to
be much improved.
Chili, Pigfeet, Ham, Oysters, Fish,
Hamburger and Porterhouse Steak are
a few of the good things to eat at
Brown's Short Order House. If you
want anything else just call for it.
Roy B. Hodges of Eagle Pass was
here the first of the week, the guest of
his sister, Mrs. H. B. Laughinghouse.
He returned to Eagle Pass Monday
where he has the management of a coal
mine.
Elsewhere will be found the card an-
nouncing Tax Collector Joe Ney's dates
on his final tour of the county for 1910
taxes. Paste it up where you will be
reminded of his dates and call on him
when in your neighborhood.
For Sale, —363 acres, all in cultiva-
tion, good black loamy soil. A new
\$3200 house, three rent houses, good
water, good fences; 2 miles from Post
Office, school and depot, \$50.00 per
acre, easy terms. If you have the
money and want this farm apply at
once to Hondo Land Co. No time to
waste.

Charles Gilliam came home last Fri-
day from Peacock's military school in
San Antonio and will spend the holi-
days on the ranch. Charlie had the
misfortune to get shot just over the
left eye with an air gun a few days
ago, the shot narrowly missing his eye
and inflicting a painful but not danger-
ous wound.

The Bazaar given by the ladies of
the Methodist church last week and the
first of this week netted about \$35.00,
despite the bad weather it had to en-
counter. We are requested to extend
the thanks of the ladies to the public
generally for its patronage and espe-
cially to the Hondo Mercantile Co. for
the use of its dishes and to Mr. Rolf
Frericha for the use of his building.

A deal was consummated here Wed-
nesday whereby the Farmers' Union
Warehouse Co. sold 123 bales of cotton
to Mueller & Co., of San Antonio, for
the basis price of 14.65 cents. The
deal was made through Monkhouse
Bros. and the cotton forms part of a
large foreign shipment being made up
by Mueller & Co. This leaves only a
dozen or so bales in the local warehouse.

Those who braved the inclement
weather of last Friday night to attend
the lecture by Karl Jansen at the Au-
ditorium report a splendid entertain-
ment. This was the fourth and last at
traction of the Lyceum course under
the auspices of the Hondo Mothers' Club.
Owing to the misfortune of each
attraction falling on an unfavorable
night, the course was not the financial
success that had been hoped for; how-
ever, it is hoped by all lovers of high
class entertainment that the success
has been sufficient to encourage the
promoters to arrange for another
course next season.

H. L. Saathoff was up from Yancey
Monday.
Henry Rothe visited San Antonio
Tuesday.
Charles Finger visited Pearsall the
first of the week.
Use the Canton Planter for good re-
sults, Holloway Bros.
D. Deckert was a business caller at
this office Wednesday.
Miss Bessie Berry left Thursday on
a visit to Georgetown.
Hal Jones was a business visitor to
the Alamo City Thursday.
Milton Schmitt is home from San An-
tonio to spend the holidays.
H. B. Laughinghouse was a business
caller at this office Monday.
Charlie Hoover and Jim Merriman
visited San Antonio Saturday.
The John Deere hack will give satis-
faction. See E. R. Leinweber.
Assessor H. B. Taylor returned Fri-
day night from his visit to Dallas.
L. J. Brucks and Master Charles
made a trip to Dunlay Wednesday.
There will be a free dance at Louis
Carle's hall in D'Hanis Monday night.
M. S. Koch was out from San An-
tonio the first of the week on business.
At the Gun Store is the place for
Bargains in Guns and Cutlery. Gaines.
C. L. Marty, the Castroville commis-
sion man, was here Wednesday on bus-
iness.
For Sale, one surry, at a bargain.
See us at once. McLaugherty &
Horger.

Hines Rothe went to San Antonio
Tuesday to see the Grand Opera, "Ma-
dam Butterfly."

For the best blood cleanser and puri-
fyer try Watkin's Sarsaparilla. Sold
by O. S. Wallace, agent.

Call at E. R. Leinweber's hack and
buggy repository and get his prices
before purchasing a vehicle. tf

O. S. Wallace sells the famous Wat-
kin's Extracts and Spices, the best and
cheapest on the market. See him.

You had better hurry and get that
overcoat or suit, as cold weather is
coming. Bailey.

Just received a car of choice Johnson
grass hay. Place your order before it's
all gone. Phone 103. Hondo Lumber
Co.

COME
To The
Concert
To be given by the
Castroville
Brass
Band
Sunday night, De-
cember 25, 1910,
AT WERNETTE'S
OPERA HOUSE

YOU CAN'T BEAT OUR PROPOSITION

We will sell you stock in our business, which
is incorporated under the laws of Texas.

You can pay \$10.00 down on each share that
you buy and \$10.00 per month for nine months.

Here is a chance for you to save money and
at the same time invest where it will be safe
and bring you in a nice interest. See us about
this.

HEYEN & COMPANY The Co-Operative Store

The best line of fancy Candy in town
at Geo. Hay's.

Try the John Deere Buggy. Sold by
E. R. Leinweber. tf.

Gus Koenig was here Wednesday
from Lacoste on business.

The Success Sulky makes your plow-
ing a success, Holloway Bros.

H. W. Butts and Joe Langfeld were
in town Wednesday on Warehouse busi-
ness.

Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, etc. for
Christmas gifts at Windrow's drug
store.

T. McLaugherty and J. A. Horger
made an auto trip to San Antonio Wed-
nesday.

County Attorney R. J. Noonan vis-
ited San Antonio Thursday, returning
Friday.

Dolls! dolls! Everything in dolls at
Windrow's drug store—Santa Claus'
headquarters.

We have everything an up-to-date
Soda Fountain should have. Give us a
call. Geo. Hay.

Mrs. U. S. Kerley and daughters,
Misses Myrtle and Nellie, visited San
Antonio Thursday.

T. A. Burnside came out Wednesday
from San Antonio to look after his
property interests here.

Joe Horn, the Quihi mechanic, was
an interested spectator at the test of
the new well Wednesday.

Ray & Martino's troupe of Mexican
dancers and specialists will give a show
at D'Hanis tomorrow night.

Liniment for bruises, pains, cramps,
etc., in man or beast. O. S. Wallace,
agent for Watkin's Remedies.

We have cypress troughs; all lengths.
Come and see us for prices before buy-
ing elsewhere. Hondo Lumber Co.

The Castroville Brass Band will give
a grand concert at Wernette's opera
house in Castroville tomorrow night.

Profs. C. A. Ridout of Castroville
and F. C. Cannon of Tehuacana were
pleasant callers at this office Wednes-
day.

How is this? \$4.40 for a H. & R.
shot-gun at Gaines'.

Buy hand made stove pipe, it lasts
longer. Holloway Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Armin Bendele were
in town Monday on business.

District Attorney L. J. Brucks re-
turned Sunday from Rock Springs
where he had been attending district
court.

Miss Lois Elder returned Wednesday
from San Antonio, where she has been
attending school, and will spend the
holidays at home.

Since the cotton season opened up
there had been shipped from this point
4588 bales of cotton up to Thursday
night of this week.

Missis Willie Stewart went to San
Antonio Thursday to spend the holidays
with her aunt, Mrs. Nellie Dewees,
and other relatives.

Ferdinand Kilhorn Jr. and wife ar-
rived Monday to make Hondo their
future home. Mr. Kilhorn has engag-
ed in the tin business.

B. L. Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs.
B. H. Robinson, arrived Friday of last
week from Bisbee, Arizona, and will
spend the holidays here.

The Royal Neighbors will meet at
their hall next Tuesday afternoon at 3
o'clock, at which time the annual elec-
tion of officers will be held.

Buy your Autos and supplies at home
from Gaines & Garwood. They will
take care of you and give best goods.
They handle no Cheap John dope.

Mrs. G. W. Monkhouse had as her
guests this week Miss Ora Woods of
Gonzales, Miss Killough of San Marcos
and Miss Kroll of La Grange, all now
teaching in Medina county and here to
attend the Teachers' Institute.

Paul Lange who is walking a distance
of 10,000 miles from Atlantic City, New
Jersey, to Seattle Washington, spent
Wednesday night in Hondo. Lange
subsists by selling souvenir post cards
with his photo on it and his trip besides
affording him a novel experience will
no doubt net him good wages.

GEO. MUENNINK

F. G. MUENNINK

When
you come to Hondo
be sure and pay a call to the

Hondo Mercantile Co.

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hard-
ware, Furniture, Moline
Implements and Vehicles

TELEPHONE 45

HONDO, TEXAS

ENORMOUS REMOVAL SALE!

THE GREATEST OPPORTUNITIES TO THE MOST ECONOMICAL BUYERS

STARTED Monday, December 12

And Lasts Until January 2, 1911

We are going to offer you Sweeping Cut Prices in all lines. As our trade is increasing, and on account of us buying an enormous lot of Merchandise from the Lowenstein Dry Goods Co. of Memphis, Tenn., we are going to put this Merchandise on sale before the people at prices never before heard of in Hondo. We have a big stock on hand now and we are making great efforts to reduce the stock before we move into the Frerichs Building. Now is the time for you to take advantage of these bargains and **SAVE MONEY ON ALL OF YOUR MERCHANDISE**

COME EARLY AND GET THE BEST ON SALE!

Don't Miss It!

Calicoes in all colors,
your choice 6 1-4c
calicoes now 5c yard

Curtain Ends, short
lengths, worth 25c,
now 19c.

Men's Elastic Seam
DRAWERS
Extra Good Quality, Worth 50c Pair
Sale Price 38c

Blankets, worth
75c pair, Sale
Price 43c.

Sousine Silk
Beautiful shades in plain and stripe
Extra good quality, worth 35c yd.
29c Yd.

Outing
In Plain and Fancy Pat-
terns, regular 12 1-2c goods
9c yard

Bleached or Un-
bleached Domestic
Well Known Brands
5c Yard

Men's Underwear
Fleece lined, extra good
quality, worth 50c now 43c.
Fleece lined, good quality
39c

Fascinators at
the lowest price.
Buy now.

Don't Miss It!

Men's \$5.00 Low Quarters at...	\$4.23
" 4.50 "	3.83
" 4.00 "	3.38
" 3.50 "	2.98
" 3.00 "	2.53
" 2.50 "	2.13
" 2.00 "	1.68
" 1.75 "	1.52

Boys' Caps

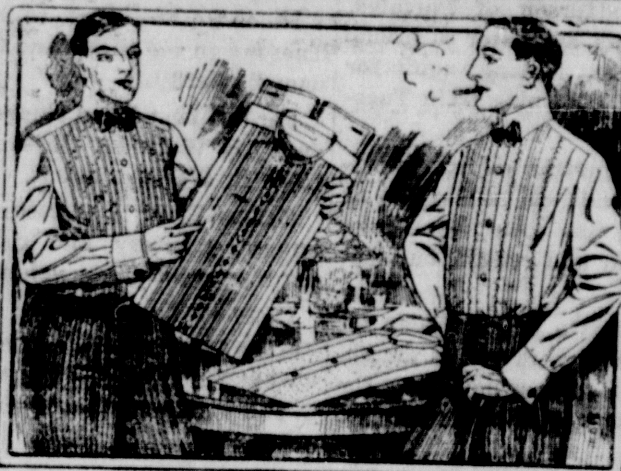
Extra good quality, worth
50c and 75c each, Sale Price

37c

We now have a nice assort-
ment of Men's new, nobby up-
to-date Neckwear in the new-
est shades and shape. Regu-
lar 35c seller, now going at

19c

Men's and Youth's \$5.00 Pants	\$3.98
" 4.50 Pants	3.68
" 4.00 "	3.28
" 3.50 "	2.73
" 3.00 "	2.33
" 2.50 "	1.88
" 2.00 "	1.53
" 1.75 "	1.38
" 1.50 "	1.17
" 1.25 "	.98c



Men's Dress and work Shirts Reduced.	
Collars attached or negligee \$1.50 shirts	\$1.23
" " " " " " " "	1.25
" " " " " " " "	1.00
" " " " " " " "	.75c
" " " " " " " "	.50c

Misses' Coats

One lot of Misses stylish long Coats
in Red, Tan and Black, in sizes for
12-14-16 years. Worth \$7.50

Sale Price \$5.98

All Men's \$3.00 Hats, Worth make	\$2.49
" 2.50 " first class	2.23
" 2.00 " " "	1.68
All Men's or Boys' 1.75 Hats	1.38
" " " " " " " "	1.23
" " " " " " " "	.98c

In our piece goods department, we offer all
new goods such as Cashmeres, Serges, Voiles
and includes Percales, Gingham, etc.

All Goods, regular 75c yard seller at	57c
" " " " " " " "	65c
" " " " " " " "	50c
" " " " " " " "	40c
" " " " " " " "	35c
" " " " " " " "	25c
" " " " " " " "	12 1/2c
" " " " " " " "	10c

Only a few days ago we received a large
shipment of new skirts in the newest designs
of Voiles, Panamas, etc., all go in this sale
as follows:

\$10.00 Voile Skirts	\$7.50
8.50 Voile or Panama Skirts	6.38
6.50 " " "	5.38
5.00 " " "	3.73
4.00 " " "	3.23

Fine 50c yd. Table Linen	37c
White and Colored Damask	22c
30c pair of Turkish or Huck Towels	22c
20c " " "	16c

Ladies' \$4.00 Low Quarters at	\$3.38
" 3.50 "	2.98
" 3.00 "	2.53
" 2.50 "	2.13
" 2.00 "	1.68
" 1.75 "	1.27

Men's and Youth's 20.00 Suits	\$14.98
" 17.50 Suits	12.43
" 16.50 "	11.88
" 15.00 "	10.43
" 13.50 "	9.88
" 11.50 "	8.23
" 10.00 "	7.34
" 8.50 "	5.98
" 8.50 "	5.23

Only about 15 dozen in the
house—the newest designs in
Men's Fancy Hose. Marked
to sell at 50c a pair. During
this sale will sell for, per pair

37c

Boys' \$5.00 Knee Pant Suits	\$3.83
" 4.50 "	3.48
" 4.00 "	3.17
" 3.50 "	2.63
" 3.00 "	2.33
" 2.50 "	1.98
" 2.00 "	1.53
" 1.75 "	1.33
" 1.50 "	1.17

A new line of Boys' Knee Pants
in the Knickerbocker or strap styles
1.00 values now at

75c	53c
50c	38c

Mon's Fancy Hose in the latest
styles and colorings for this season's
wear.

Men's black and tan 10c Hose	7c
Men's fancy 15c Hose	11c
A big variety of fancy 25c hose	19c

Ladies' and Children's Hose at
very low prices.

Ladies' Black or Tan 12 1/2c Hose	9c
" fancy and blk. 25c "	18c
" " " 50c "	39c
Children's Monarch 25c "	19c
" strong 15c "	11c
" " 10c "	7c

Don't Miss It!

Dressing Sacques
and Kimonas
beautiful patterns, worth 75c
Now 39c

Lace Curtains
Neat Patterns Worth 1.50 Pair
Now \$1.23

Window Shades
75c Shades ... 53c
50c Shades ... 36c

WHITE GOODS FOR
Ladies' Waists
Neat and beautiful patterns
25c values now ... 19c
15c " " ... 11c
10c " " ... 7 1/2c

Ladies' Skirts
\$5.00 Values, now ... \$3.73
7.00 " " ... 5.49

See our line of
Blankets & Com-
forts, lowest prices

One Special Lot Men's
Summer Underwear
50c Values Will Go For
19c a Garment

Ladies' Sweaters
Extra Fine Quality in White, Ox-
ford and Cardinal
\$2.23

Ladies' Sweaters
With Collars—Worth \$1.00
Now 73c
\$1.25 ones now 98c

Don't Miss It!

Removal Sale Now Going On!

Buy Your Christmas Gifts Now
WHEN YOU CAN SAVE MONEY ON THEM!

RUBINSTEIN MERCANTILE COMPANY

"The Firm That Saves You Money" HONDO, TEXAS